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The Cassidy Sale

The Commissioner's sale of the Cassidy real estate took place in this city Saturday at which time several thousand dollars worth of property was disposed of.

The handsome residence in this city was bid in by J. W. Wilson, of Beattyville, one of the heirs, at \$1,400. The flour mill property was purchased by Dr. Wm. C. Martin, of this city, at \$2,650. The barber shop property was sold to H. G. Crabtree for \$475. The vacant lots along the railroad facing the school property were sold to various persons at from \$55 to \$175. Those who secured one or more of these lots are: Joe Mountz, O. L. Daniel, D. B. Hurt, Charlie Wright, Edmon Burgher, R. W. Garrett. A small tract of land in this county and some land and oil leases in Wolfe county were also sold.

A large crowd attended the sale and the bidding was spirited and liberal. Judge Daniel was the auctioneer.

Bridge Work Progressing

The work on the concrete bridge at Roundtree's place is nearing completion. Both abutments are in, and the form and steel reinforcements were ready for the concrete Tuesday night, and had not the rain interfered, Mr. Phelps would have gotten the floor completed Thursday—today. For some time this bridge has been a bad gap in the road, and now that it will certainly be finished in a few days, it is very gratifying to the traveling public.

Narrow Escape

It was a very narrow escape for Buster, the little six-year old son of Mr. W. F. Barnett last Friday when the child tried to crawl upon his father's moving wagon on his farm two miles south of town. The little boy fell under the wagon wheel passed over his head and one leg. While badly bruised up, the child is not dangerously hurt, but will be very sore for a few days. The wagon had a load on it and that it did not break through his skull is a wonder.

More Shale Land Sold

John Willie Patton has sold the shale portion of his small tract of land at Waltersville for \$1,000, which aside from its shale value is a big price. One of the firms contemplating putting a plant here became the purchaser. The shale fellows keep on buying land which evidently means nothing but business later. We are still waiting, boasting and hoping.

BIRTHS.

Sunday, December 12th, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Knight, of this city, an infant which lived but few hours. Burial in the local cemetery.

Sunday December 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stewart, a son.

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As we come to this joyous festive season, let us fix our eyes on that Divine Person, who, by His miraculous entrance into the human race, has made this Christmas day possible. Hundreds of years before He came, the Prophet had announced the very place of His birth. And, when the fullness of time was come, by a strange sequence of events, His parents made the tedious journey to Bethlehem. And there the Virgin "brought forth her first-born Son and laid Him in a Manger." When this child grew up, He spent His life among the people, healing their sicknesses, binding up their broken hearts, scattering gladness wherever He went. And as a recompense, cruel hands nailed Him to a Roman cross, and those whom He had never wronged "pierced His hands and feet." But He was wounded for our transgressions and by His stripes we are healed! So His death was not in vain. Nay, through death, He destroyed him that had the power of death. Therefore, as we are seeking to make others happy by our gifts, let us remember how happy we have been made by "God's unspeakable gift." —Sel.

Farmers Advancing

The Times job office has recently turned out some printed stationery for the Maple Grove Stock Farm, Stanton and the Crescent Ridge Stock Farm, Clay City. Mr. A. J. Martin is proprietor of the Maple Grove and Mr. Chas. Welch is proprietor of the Crescent Ridge. Both are breeders of thoroughbred cattle, hogs and chickens. The Maple Grove has Herefords, while the Crescent Ridge breed Holstein cattle. Both the farms breed Poland China hogs and Rhode Island Red chickens.

This is a forward step and other farmers of the county should follow. The first step is to get some printed letter heads and envelopes. This advertises and fixes a name for your farm if you desire.

More consideration is given to any business letter where it is written on printed stationery than where it is on plain. Nothing pays better than a small investment in printed stationery when starting any business.

Fair Weather

The first of the week witnessed a very dry period for winter. High winds the last of the week dried up the muddy roads wonderfully. In places they became dusty. Automobilists started up blasts from their warning signals, and it looked almost like spring. The rain yesterday morning, however, blasted all hopes for good Christmas roads.

Garrett Back from Capital

Hours H. Green Garrett, of this city, chairman of the State Highway Commission, returned Friday night from Washington, where he attended a meeting of the American Highway Association, at which every State was represented at the meeting. Mr. Garrett was made a member of the executive committee of the national association. This committee had a very satisfactory meeting with the roads committee of the House of Representatives, at which all of the 21 members of the House Roads Committee were present.

The Kentucky State Highway Commission is planning to raise funds for the roads of this State as follows: \$3,000,000 on coal tax; \$2,000,000 on automobile tax; \$300,000 on gasoline tax; \$1,000,000 property tax of 5 cents on the \$100; \$2,000,000 on oil tax; \$1,000,000 federal aid, making a total per annum of \$10,300,000.—Winchester Sun.

Christmas Greetings

The Times extends its best and sincerest greetings to its readers, one and all. And may the New year bring peace, prosperity and happiness after having spent a joyous, and devoted Christmas, with true thoughts of the One who justly merits its keeping.

Moving Barber Shop

A. P. Johnson is moving his barber shop from the Cassidy building, sold at Commissioner's sale last week to H. G. Crabtree, to the Bob Stone building, formerly occupied by The Times.

Personal Paragraphs

R. L. Telford, of Richmond, Ky., was here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson, of Beattyville, were here Saturday.

Mrs. John Maxwell and son, Robert, visited Winchester Tuesday.

Judge and Mrs. B. F. Day, of Mt. Sterling, were here Friday and Saturday.

J. M. Foster, of Knowlton, spent Sunday night with friends in Clay City.

S. V. Larson was in Cincinnati last week buying goods for his jewelry store here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bashaw were Xmas shopping in Lexington Wednesday.

Ernest Baker was at Winchester two days of this week having dental work done.

James B. Hall, of Lexington, was here the first of the week looking after his business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Rose, of Winchester, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Rose, of this county.

Misses Ruth and Nina Shearer spent the past week with their sister, Mrs. C. M. Warner, of Mt. Sterling.

A. G. Shimfessel, of Mt. Sterling, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Shimfessel.

Mrs. J. A. Sewell and daughter Mrs. Nancy Lee Alexander, were Christmas shopping in Winchester Saturday.

Tunis Robbins visited the queen city last week to purchase goods for the general store of Sherman Robbins & Sons.

Thos. Sherman, of Campton, came down Friday and attended the sale of the property of his uncle deceased, W. R. Cassidy.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Knight and little son and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Victor Knight and Bert Knight left Saturday for a two weeks visit to friends at their old home in West Virginia.

Several young folks from Clay City and Stanton went over to Mt. Sterling and engaged with an aggregation of young people in that city in a basket ball contest. The Powell county young people were students of Stanton College.

J. J. Curry, with Speyer & Gormley, of Lexington, spent the week-end with his brother-in-law, John W. Burton. Mr. Curry goes next to Milton, Ky., where he will superintend the dismantling of another large distilling plant.

Col. T. G. Stuart, of Winchester, and four other oil men were here Monday and went out to their Hardwick's Creek well. They returned in the afternoon without giving any information as to results of their recent drilling.

STANTON.

Russell Tharp, State Game Warden, was here Saturday.

J. H. Hardwick, Winchester, was here Monday on business.

Mrs. Wm. Hardwick visited relatives in Winchester Monday.

Coleman Portwood, Clay City, was here Monday on business.

C. F. Spencer and stenographer, Mrs. Cecil Daniel, Winchester, were here Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Dennis and family have moved to Mt. Sterling. We regret very much to lose these neighbors.

Master Lenwood Jackson returned to his home in Louisville Monday after a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Burris, Mrs. Annie Norton and son, J. C. Norton, left Monday for a visit with friends in Mt. Sterling and Lexington.

Differences

When the American Woolen company closed its mills, to keep up prices that wasn't a strike, but good business, regrettable but necessary.

When farmers propose to hold their grain for fair prices, that is a strike, no-American.

When the State of New York starts out to build two state grain elevators to aid the grain dealers and exporters in that state, that's fine and just co-operation.

When North Dakota would build a terminal elevator for farmers, that's revolutionary, paternalistic, class legislation.

Funny how things are fine and dandy until they get mixed up with farmers.

The Youth's Companion

Home Calendar for 1921

The Publishers of The Youth's Companion will, as always at this season, present to every subscriber whose subscription (\$2.50) is paid for 1921 a Calendar for the new year. The tablets are printed in red and olive green, and besides giving the days of the current month in bold legible type, give the Calendar of the preceding and succeeding month in smaller type in the margin. It is a rich and practical piece of work.

Notice to Teachers

Teachers may enter the Eastern Kentucky State Normal January 4, 1921 and make full credits in five weeks by taking two lessons a day in the same subject. Ask your county superintendent for full particulars and for an appointment.

T. J. Coates, Pres. E. K. S. N. S.

School Entertainment.

Miss Ruth Shearer will give an entertainment at her school on Black creek, Friday, December 24, which consists of songs, recitations, dialogues and tableaux.

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A HOME-MADE PAPER.

THURSDAY, DEC. 23, 1920

SUBSCRIPTION RATE,
ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR.

Foreign Advertising Representative
THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

VAUGHN'S MILL.

Christmas gift to one and all
of The Times family.

Joe Clark and Winfred Davis
were Lexington visitors Monday.

Sherman Wetherholt is quite
sick at this writing with pneumo-
nia.

Mesdames Addie Nelson and
Mahala Gravett were Xmas shop-
ping in Lexington Monday.

Mr. James Curry, of Milton,
spent the week-end here with his
brother-in-law, John Burton.

B. F. Curtis, who has been em-
ployed in the oil field the past
ten months, has returned here to
reside on his farm.

Mrs. Mariah Rose, of Ravenna,
arrived here Saturday to spend a
few days with the Chas. Welch
family, which is closely related
to her.

The "Jenny Wrens" are chirp-
ing through the air and piping
on window sills here, saying the
wedding bells will start real
soon. After the ceremonies they
will depart for the Southland.

The home of Mr. and Mrs.
Leonard Patrick has been bright-
ened by the advance agent of the
stork, which left a fine little girl
baby. The little lady has been
christened Miss Henrietta Daniel.

Most of the porkers have been

butchered in and near this
"burg," with splendid luck to all
in not losing any meat. So
Hardwick's creek is living fat
and fine with "groud hog gravy
running down somebody's chin."

Thomson Mack, of Lebanon,
Tenn., has been here for some
time collecting for the Wrought
Iron Stove Company, of St. Louis.
Mr. Mack said he had much
trouble in rounding the company's
creditors up, as many of them
had moved to other communities
and some few to other states.

Right now is a good time be-
fore you select something less
appreciative for your friend or
relative, to order the good old
Times sent them that will con-
vey all news items which are
right, true and interesting. E.
F. Harris or The Times office
force will take your subscription,
and remember its only \$1.00 a
year.

The public school, in co-operation
with the patrons of this dis-
trict, will give an entertainment
and Christmas tree at the church
on Saturday, the 25th, (Xmas
day), beginning about 10 a. m.
Everybody is invited to come and
hear the exercises, also to bring
presents to be placed on the tree
for their friends and relatives.
Old Santa Claus will be on hand
with his "double barreled butch-
er knives."

Charlie Welch, after selecting
a name for his fine stock farm,
has placed an order for a good
supply of stationery with the
Times office. This farm will be
known hereafter as the Crescent
Ridge Stock Farm. We presume
there will be many other farmers
in this section who will soon
follow Mr. Welch's example in
giving their farm a name and in-
stead of strangers enquiring for
the person they will ask to be
directed to the farm on which
the person resides. By doing
these things it puts everything
on a business basis.

J. F. Smith departed this life
on Wednesday, Dec. 15th, after a
short illness of pneumonia. The
wife of the deceased preceded
him just one week and two days
ago. Mr. Smith was 69 years of
age. He leaves two daughters,
Mrs. Ida Wetherholt and Mrs.
Corda Powell, of this place, and
a brother, W. T. Smith, of Mont-
gomery county to mourn his loss.
To those we say go to the One
that has the power to give and
take, where they will find sweet
rest to their souls.

After a short funeral service
the remains were interred at the
Christian church cemetery by
the side of his wife.

Look! Listen!
Mendents will mend all leaks
instantly in granite ware, alumini-

num, hot water bags, tin, copper,
brass and sheet iron, all cooking
utensils and rubber goods. All
sizes. Only 25 cents a box.

Sold by E. F. Harris,
Vaughn's Mill, Ky.

SPOUT SPRING

School closed Friday after a
most successful term. It is with
regret that we note the retire-
ment of Prof. Margison from the
profession of school teacher, and
we feel sure that the operation
of the new law, which will ex-
clude many such excellent teach-
ers as he, will never provide a
better teacher.

"Uncle" Taulbee F. VanCleave
quietly passed away Saturday,
December 18th, at the home of
his son, the Rev. Carter Van-
Cleave. Funeral services were
conducted Sunday by Revs. Sher-
man Robbins, of Clay City, and
B. S. Burgher of this place. Bu-
rial in Salem churchyard.

"Uncle" T. F., as he was fa-
miliarly called, was a native of
Tennessee where he was born in
1833; was therefore 87 years old.
His wife preceded him to the
beyond four years ago. He has
since lived with his son, the Rev.
M. C. VanCleave.

Deceased is survived by eight
children, all but one residing out
of the state of Kentucky. But
one of them was able to get to
the funeral, Grant VanCleave, of
Middletown, Ohio. Other chil-
dren are residing in Wisconsin,
Idaho, Washington and Califor-
nia.

Bald Rock.

Grant See, of South Fork, was
here last Saturday on business.

Not much news this week as
the writer was away Saturday
and Sunday on a pleasant trip.

The writer made a trip to Na-
da Saturday and down to Stan-
ton Saturday evening and attended
the meeting of the American
Legion Guide Post No. 127, and
is well pleased with the outlook
of the Post, and what it stands
for and will do for the ex-service
men. We hope to see every ex
service man in the county be
come a member at once. At the
next meeting the writer is ex-
pecting to take with him at least
one-half dozen former service
men.

Christmas at The Methodist Church

The Trinity Methodist church
of Clay City will give a Christ-
mas cantata "Santa's Advance
Man", Christmas eve.

Opening Exercises,
Song, "Joy to the World"
by Congregation
prayer . . . Rev. Nelson
Welcome—Mr. Joe Mountz, Supt.
Girls' Chorus . . . "The Bells"
Bible Drill . . . by children

Characters:
Santa Claus,
Sunny Jim, Santa's Advance Man
Everet Hurt
Helen, a Selfish Girl—Lily Burgher
Percy, a Philosopher . Frank Mize
Fairy Queen . . . Mary Eaton

Friends of Helen:
Marion . . . Vivien McKinney
James . . . Lois Robbins
Gladys . . . Ethel White
Joe . . . Clarence Eaton

News Sellers:
Nick . . . Robert Eaton
Lena . . . Myrtle Wright
Pedro . . . Lester Carr
Sally . . . Orpha Burgher
Chorus of Fairies and Little Tots
Everybody welcome.

Lost

Male fox hound. White with
lemon spots on ears. When lost
was wearing collar of owner and
Clark County license tag. Ten
dollars for his return.
Joe S. Lindsay, Winchester, Ky.

NOTICE!

Any one having tools etc. in
his or her possession belonging to
Star machine on Chas. Welch's
farm will kindly return same as
soon as possible and oblige.

E. Lohmiller, Clay City. 38

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kins 137 products sell to every
farmer. If you own auto or
team, can give bond, write today
for information where you can
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of largest institution of kind in
world. Twenty million users.
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For Good Barbering Try
A. P. Johnson
Located at the Old Stand
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Christmas Cheer

THE OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS OF THIS BANK
MOST HEARTILY JOIN IN WISHING ALL AN A-
BUNDANT AMOUNT OF THE PLEASURES OF THE
CHRISTMAS SEASON.

Clay City National Bank.

Christmas Shopping Made Easy

By coming to our Store to get your Supplies for
Santa Claus.

Things to please all the Family whether it be useful
Presents, Toys, Candies or Fruits.

We make a Specialty of trying to please our Customers
at this season when a fitting selection is hard to make.

Come around and let us show you our lines and how
we can save you money on your Holiday Purchases.

Mrs. Williams.

What Are Your Chances Of Success?

Do You Step Out with Snap and Vigor? Are You Able to Get Things Done?

DON'T STAND IN YOUR OWN WAY

People with Thin, Weak Blood Have a Hard Time of it. They Should Take Pepto-Mangan

Look at the facts of your health. So much depends on having the red blood. If you stand up in front of your work with half-starved blood in your system you are standing in your own way. You are blocking your own progress.

Thin blood makes you dull. It makes you pale. You take no enjoyment out of your work. It is only half as good as it should be.

You can remedy that condition so easily. Begin taking that fine tonic, Pepto-Mangan, today and keep it up for awhile. Your blood will become nourished. Pepto-Mangan, makes red blood corpuscles. You will get energy and strong power of resistance. Instead of standing in your own way, you will push yourself ahead because of greater vitality.

But be sure you get the genuine Pepto-Mangan. It is put up in both liquid and tablet form. Ask for "Gude's" and be sure that the name is on the package. The tablets or the liquid have the same ingredients value.—Advertisement.

ROSSLYN.

Leonard James was here Tuesday transacting business.

Mr. C. B. Skidmore left Monday for Indiana to buy a farm.

Miss Hoyt Tipton was in Stanton the first of last week on business.

Mrs. Wm. Morton, Bowen, and son, Johnnie, were here Monday shopping.

Mr. Jeff Allen visited his old friend, C. C. Lane, near Genet over Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Tipton and nephew, Clefford Fryor, were in Bowen Friday shopping.

B. J. Rogers, who has been cutting logs for Larkin Stampf, was with his family over Sunday.

R. M. Morton, Jesse Norton and Elmer Erickson were business visitors in Stanton Saturday.

Willie Allen, who has been working at the saw mill for Albert Day on Cane creek, was with home folks over Sunday.

George Faulkner, who has a position on the farm here with his grandfather, was with his mother, Mrs. Paul Ewen, at Bowen over Sunday.

Mrs. E. P. Moreland and two daughters, Misses Pearl and Cecilia, of Bowen, were here Sunday visiting Mrs. Moreland's sister, Mrs. George Martin.

Floyd Daniel, the handsome young son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Daniel, of Bowen, was here Sunday visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Morton.

Misses Emma and Vida Benningfield visited the former's half aunt and the latter's double first cousin, Miss Maude Benningfield near Bowen Sunday.

We learn with regret of the death of Neil Walters who was killed by a train near Beattyville. Neil had many friends around here and it sadly grieves us all to hear of his death.

Sam Ballard, who was hurt very bad in Middletown, Ohio some few weeks ago is yet in a serious condition and went to Lexington Monday to see a doctor. Sam is an intelligent young man and his many friends hope for him a speedy recovery.

GENET

"Hello thar ole mister hi cost there is sumpthen arter ye!"

Grant See, of South Fork, was a business visitor here last Saturday.

Joel Frazier, of Mountain Springs, ran his corn mill last Saturday.

David Howell and wife visited J. H. Howell Saturday and Sunday on South Fork.

Miss Mary B. Adams and sister, Roxie, visited V. C. and H. S. Mar in Saturday night.

Marion Hatton and wife, of Rosslyn, visited friends and relatives here last Saturday and Sunday.

The prohibition officers seem to be determined to put old John Barleycorn "outen biz." The song will soon be something like this:

"The lion ran the tiger,
The tiger ran the Devil,
Caught him on the hill side,
Killed him in the level."

We are glad to hear of the shale project at Clay City. The editor remarked a few weeks ago that we had "oodlins" of that kind of material in Powell. We are of the opinion that it underlies the whole of Eastern Kentucky. Of course some of it is so deep under cover that it would be a hard job to get it out.

We hasten to make a memorandum of the firm of Sturts & Co. All recently incorporated under the state law of Delaware, whose main office is at Xena and who

Why Suffer?

Cardui "Did Wonders for Me," Declares This Lady.

"I suffered for a long time with womanly weakness," says Mrs. J. R. Simpson, of 57 Spruce St., Asheville, N. C. "I finally got to the place where it was an effort for me to go. I would have bearing-down pains in my side and back — especially severe across my back, and down in my side there was a great deal of soreness. I was nervous and easily upset.

TAKE

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

"I heard of Cardui and decided to use it," continues Mrs. Simpson. "I saw shortly it was benefiting me, so I kept it up and it did wonders for me. And since then I have been glad to praise Cardui. It is the best woman's tonic made." Weak women need a tonic. Thousands and thousands, like Mrs. Simpson, have found Cardui of benefit to them. Try Cardui for your trouble.

ALL DRUGGISTS

1.80

ies that cross in the neck much more satisfactory results can be obtained. In this way the heart will be allowed to pump the blood from the body. Many farmers have abandoned the old method of sticking the animal in the heart because by this method the blood cannot be pumped from the body. If the hog is hung up before the sticking, the blood will drain out of the body much more satisfactory.

HOUSED HENS LAY MORE EGGS

According to poultrymen in the Animal Husbandry Department of the College of Agriculture, University of Kentucky, the hen that is properly housed during the coming winter months will be more liable to lay more eggs than the hen that is poorly housed. A good house for the hens need not be warm but should be free from drafts, have plenty of ventilation and sunlight and be dry. A satisfactory floor for the house may be made of concrete, but it should be built off the ground six or eight inches and have cinders or gravel beneath it to prevent dampness and cold. A good board floor should be used in preference to one on dirt.

SAUSAGE RECIPE

The following ingredients for every six pounds of meat make a satisfactory method of making sausage, according to the College of Agriculture, University of Kentucky. One and one-half ounces of fine salt, one and one-half ounces of finely ground black pepper and one half ounce or less of sage to suit the taste. Ginger may be substituted for the sage if desired.

Farms for Sale

One farm containing 50 acres, thirty-two acres meadow, thirteen acres grass land, five acres grove and gardens. Eight room dwelling, two barns, three everlasting springs, never failing well. Centrally located. In close touch with three churches. School house corner of the farm.

One farm containing one hundred acres. Six room dwelling. Thirty-five acre meadow, twelve acres rye, remainder in grass except ten acres woodland. Well watered and in touch with three churches, convenient to school, stores and mill.

Price reasonable if sold at once. W. L. Byrd, Spout Spring, Ky. Home address Winchester, Ky.

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Any thing in Line of Fire, Hail, Tornado, and Windstorm Insurance.

LIFE INSURANCE, and in fact any Special Protection Risks may be obtained from Local Agent,

MARION ATKINSON,
STANTON, KENTUCKY.

ESSENTIALS IN BUTCHERING
Success in the curing of pork which has been butchered on the farm depends largely upon whether or not the meat has been thoroughly cooled out before the salt is applied. This suggestion together with several others is contained in hints which have just been issued by Prof. E. J. Walford, of the Animal Husbandry Department, College of Agriculture, University of Kentucky for farmers who will do their own butchering during the coming winter months. According to Prof. Walford, the old method of shooting or knocking the hog in the head has been found to be a poor one since it does not allow the animal to bleed out thoroughly and as a result the quality of meat is affected. If the animal is killed by inserting a knife about one inch in front of the "Adams Apple" and sticking toward the tail far enough to cut the two arter-

SLADE.

E. T. Ewen was a business visitor in Lexington Tuesday.

Ernest Faulkner has accepted a position with the L. & N. and is working in the depot at Torrent.

Miss Connie Faulkner returned to Stanton College Monday morning after spending two days with home folks.

We are having a siege of whooping cough here but at this writing all the children are getting along very well.

The Nada works will soon close down and put several men out of employment. The farm is the surest place to live after all.

The L. & N. has laid off part of their section men which makes it very hard for men who have worked for them through the summer.

Mrs. Martin Ford and daughter, Ila, visited the former's father, W. S. McKnabb, Sunday, who is very sick at his daughter's Mrs. Elijah Baker, on South Fork.

Mrs. Nancy Wilson, of Sturgeon, Owsley county, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. T. Ewen. She will also visit her daughter, Mrs. Hattie Love, of Haldenville, Okla., after the holidays.

There is quite a demand for turkeys here for Christmas but they are very scarce this year. There is very little corn being sold here for \$5.00 per barrel, eggs 50c doz., butter 50c lb.

If you are wondering what to give a friend for an Xmas present just send them the Times for one year and they will think of you every week during the entire year besides you will help boost our county and our neat little paper.

Wishing the Times and all its readers a merry merry Xmas and a prosperous New Year and that each one of us will live closer to God in the year of 1921 than we ever did before and that we may so live that someone will be made better by us having occupied a small place upon God's footstool.

XENA

Miss Anna Belle Lane was vis-



Come In and See
the \$7,000,000
3½-inch Tire

This is the famous Firestone molded 3½ inch tire that has its own plant, its own special machinery, special methods, special organization.

Thus Firestone serves car owners with quantity production. This permits a value in tires never before accomplished at the price.

Get your share of these savings by having us equip you.

Firestone

itor of Miss Ida McCoy Sunday.

George Lyle, from the Old Furnace, visited here last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Spencer, of Bald Rock, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira G. Profitt were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Kee Lewis Monday night.

Marcus Adams and family, of this place have gone to Montgomery county to spend Xmas.

Mr. Claude Townsend, the chief wood cutter of Kentucky, is now cutting wood for Kee Lewis.

Mr. Potter Townsend, from Cat Creek, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Townsend Tuesday night.

The youngsters of this vicinity met Monday night and practiced their pieces for the entertainment last day of school.

The weather man has a cold wave ahead for Christmas. We don't care for the cold weather unless we can get a white Christmas.

Send in the news next week as usual. The Times will not take a lay off for the holidays this year.

Not so many people as usual will swear off on January 1st. The wood alcohol boys won't have to.

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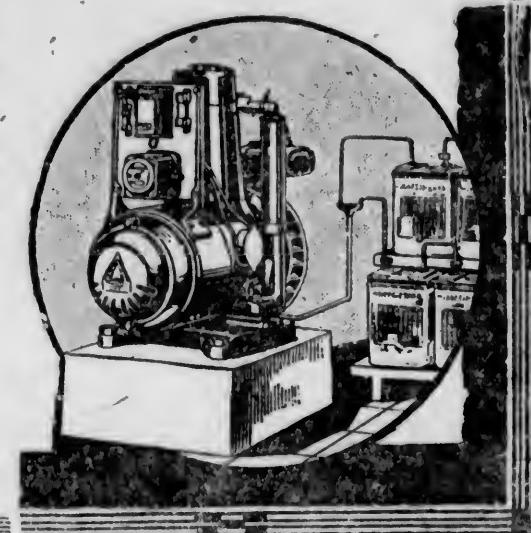
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